UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA

In re: BAIR HUGGER FORCED AIR WARMING DEVICES PRODUCTS LIABILITY LITIGATION

MDL No. 15-2666 (JNE/FLN)

DEFENDANTS' MEET AND CONFER STATEMENT REGARDING MOTION TO DISMISS FOR FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH PRETRIAL ORDER NO. 14

The undersigned counsel for Defendants 3M Company and Arizant Healthcare Inc. ("Defendants") states that the meet-and-confer requirements of Local Rule 7.1(a)(1)(A) have been satisfied through prior dealings among counsel for the parties. No additional meet-and confer is required prior to the filing of Defendants' motion. *See* Court's Pretrial Order No. 14, ¶ 8.

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